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Victoria Levee April 22/25

- 17800 ♀ robin  
01 ♂ fantail  
02 // Kingfisher  
03 // warbler  
04 // "  
05 ♂ Strawberry finch 1st taken  
06 ♀ Gray fantail  
07 ♀ flycatcher  
08 " "  
09 ♂ Gray fantail  
17810 " "  
11 " fantail  
12 " "  
13 Swain  
14 ♂ dove orange  
15 " redbreast May 1, 25  
16 " wren  
17 "  
18 ♀ Kleinschmidt finch  
19 " small paroquet red leg  
20 " thrush  
21 ♂ yellowbelly  
22 ♀ sooty flycatcher  
23 ♂ warbler  
24 " "  
18725 ♂ paroquet

may 2  
17826 ♂ cap fly catcher  
17827 u  
17828 u  
29 ♂ fantail

17830 ♀ yellowbelly  
31 ♂ kingfisher  
32 u thrush  
33 u  
34 u yelloweye  
35 ♂ sooty fly catcher  
36 ♂ u  
37 u yellowbelly  
may 4

17838 ♂ redbreast  
39 u sooty fly catcher  
40 u  
41 u yellowbelly  
42 u  
43 ♂ kingfisher  
44 u longbill

may 5  
45 cap fly catcher  
46 fantail  
47 ♀ small paroquet  
48 u u  
49 u u  
50 ♂ kleinschmidt finch  
51 u thrush  
52 u wren  
53 u sooty fly catcher  
54 ♀ longbill  
55 ♂  
56 u warbler  
57 u dove golden

may 6

17858 ♂ small paroquet

59 ♀

60 u wren

61 42 u

62 ♂ u

63 u u

64 ♀ shrike

65 bunch

66 warbler

67 hairy vireo

68 yelloweye

17869 ♀ longbill

70 u paroquet May 7

71 u redbreast

72 20 thrush

73 ♂ small paroquet

74 u yelloweye

75 u warbler

76 u longbill

77 ♂ u

78 u

May 8

1787 ♀ capflycatch

80 ♀ small paroquet

81 u thrush

82 ♂ u

83 u

84 ♀ u

85 u

86 ♀ yellowbelly

87 ♂ u

1788 88 ♂ Kleinschmidt bunch

89 yellowbelly

90 ♀ u eye

may 8

1789  $\frac{0}{1}$  king sooty fly chr

92  $\frac{0}{1}$  longbill

17893  $\frac{1}{1}$   $\frac{1}{1}$

94  $\frac{0}{1}$   $\frac{1}{1}$

95  $\frac{0}{1}$   $\frac{1}{1}$

96  $\frac{0}{1}$  sooty fly chr

97  $\frac{1}{1}$   $\frac{1}{1}$

98  $\frac{1}{1}$   $\frac{1}{1}$

17899  $\frac{0}{1}$  parakeet

May 9

17900  $\frac{0}{1}$  redbreast

901  $\frac{0}{1}$  cap fly cat

82  $\frac{0}{1}$   $\frac{1}{1}$

3  $\frac{1}{1}$

4  $\frac{1}{1}$   $\frac{1}{1}$

5  $\frac{1}{1}$

17906  $\frac{0}{1}$  fantail

7  $\frac{0}{1}$  yellowbelly

17908  $\frac{1}{1}$  thrush

09  $\frac{1}{1}$   $\frac{1}{1}$

17910  $\frac{0}{1}$   $\frac{1}{1}$

911  $\frac{1}{1}$

912  $\frac{0}{1}$  longbill

17913  $\frac{1}{1}$   $\frac{1}{1}$

May 11

14  $\frac{0}{1}$  shrike

15  $\frac{0}{1}$   $\frac{1}{1}$

17916  $\frac{1}{1}$   $\frac{1}{1}$

May 11

- 17917 ♀ yellowbelly  
 18 ♀ "  
 19 ♂ sooty flycatcher  
 17920 ♀ " "

May 12

- 17921 ♀ firetail finch  
 22 ♂ australian  
 23 ♀ "  
 24 ♂ fantail  
 25 ♂ "  
 17926 ♂ thrush  
 27 "  
 28 ♀ yelloweye  
 29 "  
 30 ♂ yellowbelly  
 31 ♂ "  
 32 ♂ warbler  
 33 ♂ Kleinschmidt finch (13)  
 34 ♂ small parrot  
 35 ♂ "  
 36 ♀ shrike "  
 37 "  
 38 ♂ yellowbelly  
 39 "  
 40 ♀ "  
 41 ♂ "  
 42 ♂ capflycatcher  
 43 "  
 44 ♂ redbreast  
 45 "  
 46 ♀ broadbill  
 47 ♂ fantail  
 48 ♂ sooty flycatcher  
 49 ♂ warbler  
 50 ♂ dove golden

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May 13 Continued

17957 ♀ longbill

52 u

53 u

54 ♂

55 ♀

56 ♂

May 14

17957 ♂ wren

58 ♂<sup>2</sup> u

59 ♀<sup>2</sup> yellowbelly

60 ♀<sup>2</sup> u

61 ♂ u

62 u

63 ♂<sup>2</sup> sooty flycatcher

64 ♂ sooty flycatcher

65 ♀ fantail

66 u

67 u

68 u

69 u

70 ♀ redbreast

71 u<sup>2</sup> yellow whiteeye

72 u

73 ♂ cap flycatcher

74 ♀ ant tail parakeet

75 u warbler

76 ♂ large sooty flycatcher

77 u kingfisher

78 u

79 u

80 u red parrot



May 20

17981 ♀ blackhead nunah

82 ♀

// ~~two~~ luteals

83 ♂

longbill 16

wrens 13

thrush 14

yellowbelly 21

southern plover 10

exp. & gase to ?

Ort. atail May 25, 1925

2 thickhead

1 thrush.

1 longbill

1 shrike.

1 Kingfisher 52

1 redbreast.

1 woodswallow

1 yelloweye.

1 yellow white eye

Sumatra, May 28, 1928  
V.

17984 ? white eye

♂ & warbler

May 29

86 ♀ Strawberry finch

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♂

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♀

ringed dove } Rice in crop  
first taken

91

♀

Swift

17992

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Shrike

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ring dove

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Java Sparrow

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green parakeet

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Java Sparrow

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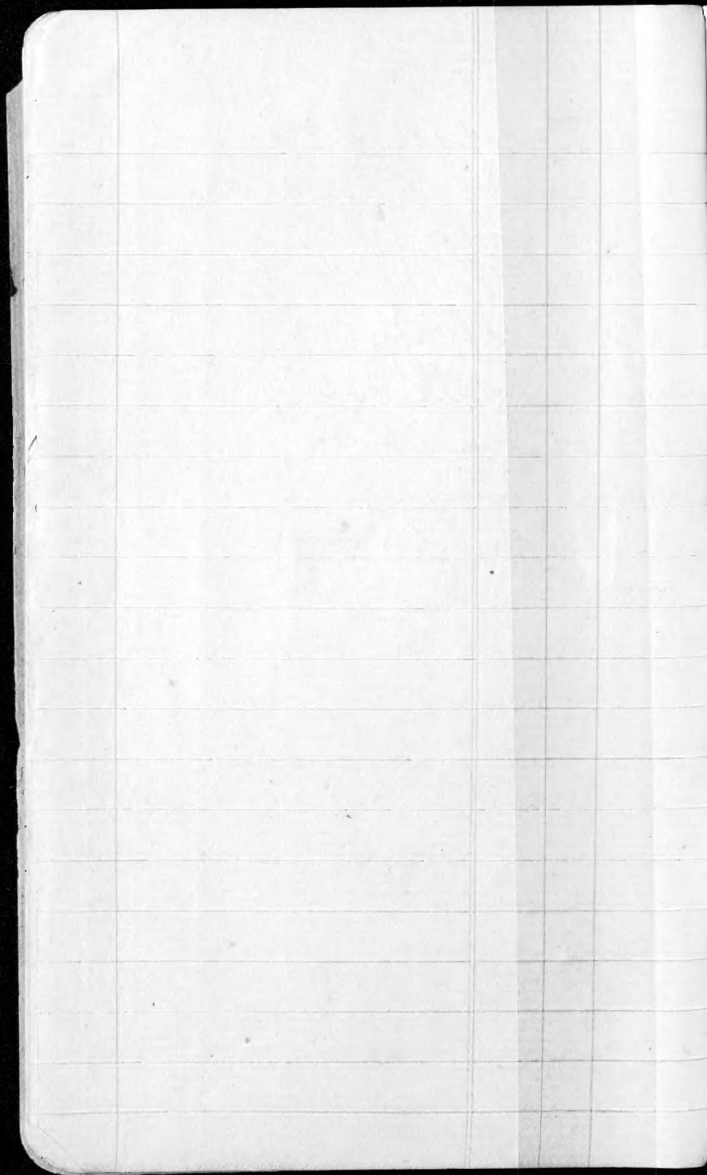
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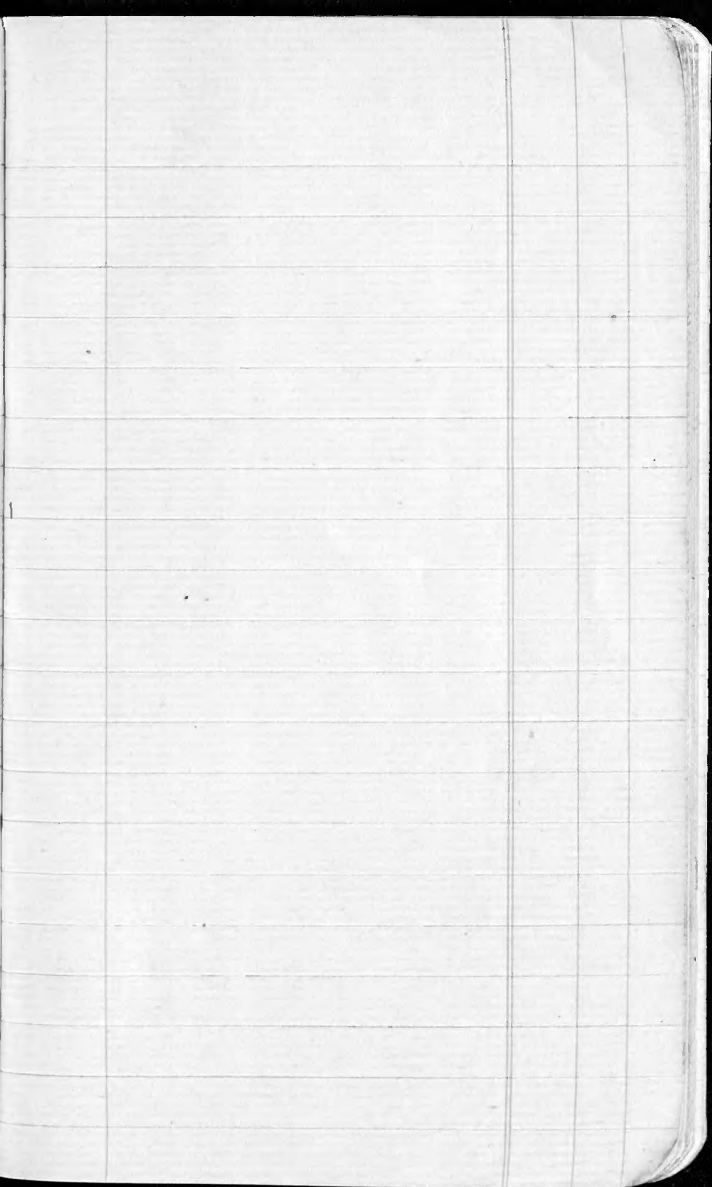
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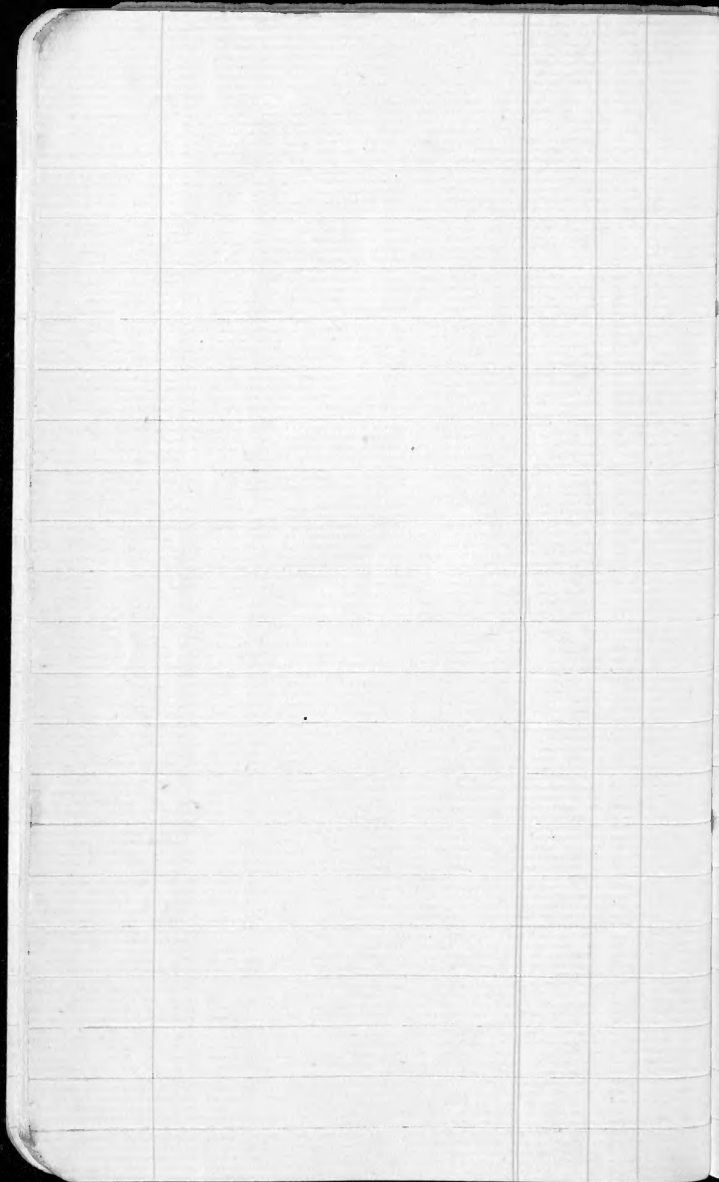
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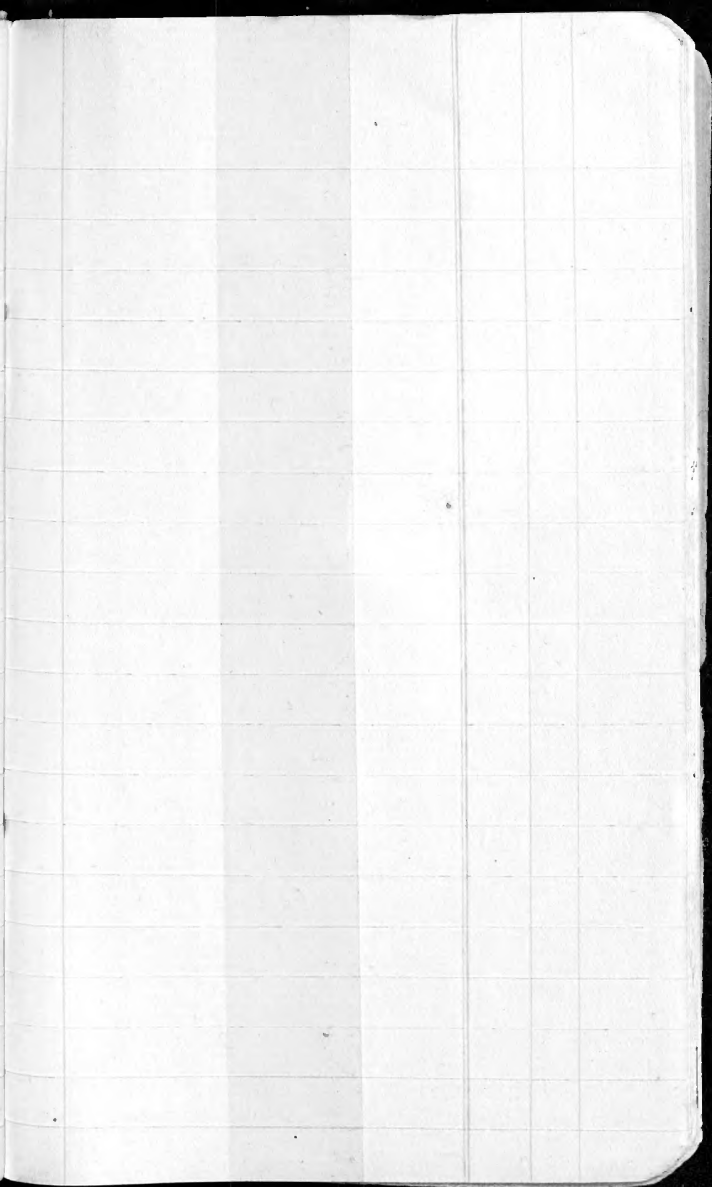
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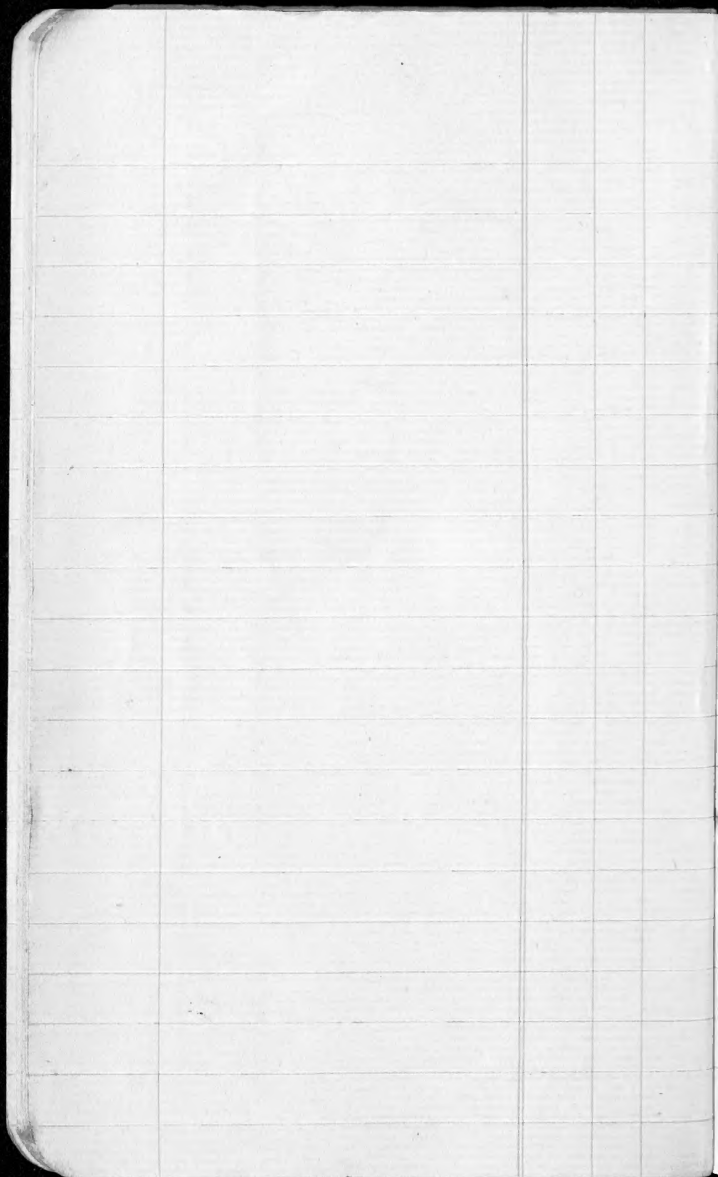
- 18009 ♂ capflycatcher  
 18010 4 warbler  
 18011 ♀ Kingfisher  
 18012 swift  
 18013 ♂ firetail finch  
 18014 ♂ yellowbelly  
 18015 broadbill  
 18016 ♀ paroquet  
 18017 ♀ golden dove  
 18018 ♂ " "













May 29

Out to east 4 miles & get  
strawberry finches & one  
ring dove. Saw 10 jays  
finches in 30

to give back from north

light from Moko Henan  
is very plain as  
darkness falls & comets  
begin to circle higher from  
water. along cliffs at  
darkness falls. weak light  
on the checker 15.

New Zealand  
Jan 14, 1926  
Hen & Chickens C's

Ordered boat after supper  
3 or 4 schools fish footer  
more by thick on top of  
water pursued by big  
fish small gulls +  
Jaegers shewaters light  
on edge of them +  
swim around with fish  
shot several times +  
lost 3. big fish took one  
head on floating.

Perchies at dark circles  
around near island  
mill off before sunset  
gradually approaches  
shore as darkness comes  
shags swim into rocks  
& seek shelter there when  
wounded

June 16  
raining last few days & sent  
out crew to ~~Bah~~ to look for  
sacs but natives on V. living  
Island said none remained  
yet & cane field  
bulbuds & minahs common

camera

B.P. bill

insurance from Capt. Post  
list from Boyd  
Wheat photo

June 31

Out to wireless station in  
mangroves there saw 3 or 4  
longtail paroquets boy said  
roosted in dead tree stub  
50 feet high one bird came  
over & saw 3 others in dead  
tree farther in mangroves  
but next P. M. & single  
& pair of birds flew toward  
tree stump hit also top of  
mangrove tree. Shot one  
as flying past hang about  
over mangroves

dozen Java sparrows sitting on  
pence by rice field shot  
all young. little later  
3 adults flew up into  
coconut leaf & #12 got  
all 3. falling into ricefield  
strawberry pink eagle perched  
if families more common than  
forest birds

Indians men sit around  
Ba stones as while at home  
about saloons. lot of glass  
in Indian women houses  
of grass & rice straw as  
well as galvanized iron some  
times, 11,000,000 feet lumber  
Under Tiigi Kauri lumber  
Co. East says D.C. (Caldwell)  
20 years since whistling  
ducks seen by several old timers  
Duck of the rock translation  
of duck hawk name.

Matu is at Sam Sam say it  
used at dark go out in reeds  
to fish. nest near there

corn does well & sugar as  
well as rice which has  
heavy heads, Indian  
school, dozen children  
with slates & home covered  
books all Indians & teachers  
same. benches & table  
in galvanized iron  
building about  $10 \times 20$  ft.  
near native houses. only few  
rods from children herds  
goats & cattle about  
houses few dogs  
120 inches rain 4 months  
45 in March at Mandaravatu  
cuckoo in fence front of hotel  
broadbills common  
whitewings & shrikes & wood  
swallows but minahs &  
bulbuls commonest  
minahs on goat & cattle backs

sugar cane cut before  
rips, stalks dropped into  
furnace + Indian cut stalk  
into pieces a foot long as it  
lies in furnace

Mauritius peas used for  
green manuring crop  
10 months was between  
cane growing + return to  
cane. rice ripening  
cut with sickle in bundles  
+ these are taken to central  
spot few rods + flailed  
over small table with  
small sticks + crevices between.  
rice falling underneath  
under roof is log with  
pointed block at one end  
on a pivot which works up  
+ down + women with  
bush + hands keep rice  
into center to husk rufly



May 19 to Ba  
Cane & rice fields  
flocks of minahs &  
many bulbuls along  
wall & swallows in  
telephone wire wood  
swallows singly along  
Tavua road  
swifts common over  
cane fields  
thrushes sing good weather  
also other birds -  
common plants yield  
along road thick &  
bushy faces as we  
go thru patches Ba & Tavua  
road

brood of young firetail finches  
along roadside. see but  
red breast parrot but plenty  
yellow ones

May 14

Out Ba Road few miles  
raining at times  
parrot taken at 4 PM  
swaying in tree top  
where neck is bent  
back on shoulders to look  
straight up thru the 40 ft  
tree to the leaf & blossom  
chump 25 feet above

May 18

Saw young plumaged  
duck hawk along  
stream with flock  
dozen chili pigeons  
pair small parrot  
also flew over  
down Suva road 5 miles

11/4/12 + 13

Out along Ba road +  
get couple paroquets on 13  
miss a couple 12 + see none  
on 11<sup>th</sup> got a K. finch on 13  
overhead when I called up  
a fantail or two.  
yellowbellies seen. 10 have  
young still feeding as  
hear them culling  
got 6 longbills 13<sup>th</sup> +  
none on other days. a  
broadbill pair seen on  
edge of forest at 2500 but  
hear none in forest where  
they fly thru scrub. wood.  
swallows as they fly nicely  
in low line. like white-eyes  
sitting alone in dead  
tree while misty drizzle  
falls. Rain every day  
2 days in 13 without rain

tree tops, 3 different trees  
100 yards apart have found  
them. can tell by sharp  
tails from the warblers  
3, 4, or 5 of the latter  
feeding in leaves & blossoms  
to one of the paroquets.  
Small paroquets mouse-like  
squeaking while feeding  
lower voiced than large  
ones but some calls  
am not sure which  
bird is making. all  
feeding is above one  
series of small trees &  
can see but small clump of  
end of limbs & their  
holes in small trees.  
foliage Kleinschmid finches  
kind of heavy forest tho.  
9 May  
got one pretail end head  
in forest also

May 5

Out + raining + wet during day. Found a tree where paroquets feeding. few common + got couple small no others seen. warblers feeding in same tree with both paroquets

May 6

Morning clear but rain P.M. got few birds

May 7

No rain during day. Thrushes sing some. Chile pigeons feed in bushes along roadside. See 3 or 4 daily. got 2 more small paroquets

May 8

Shower in P.M. got 2 more small paroquets have to pick them out of

May 3 Sunday.  
Raining all day & did  
not leave house

May 4.  
Foggy & raining all day  
several heavy showers  
down 4 miles on Suva  
trail. 2 Kingfishers young  
on telephone wire in small  
village. small flock  
yelloweyes, no red parrots  
seen to recognize but  
yellow plentiful. laybills  
call often but keep out of  
sight. Couple Thrushes  
singing, whens sing most  
many heard. dozen or less  
minahs about station  
& bulbuls a  $\frac{1}{2}$  dozen or so  
seen. small flock of  
2 Golden doves along road  
I heard sometimes

May 2

Out in rain. Drizzly &  
rain all day. Thrushes  
common but wary only got  
2. Saw 1 Kleinschmidt finch  
got 1 yesterday & saw another  
in forest come to calling  
sometimes.

• gray fantails not seen  
Cats with ~~promising~~.

from Tavera not arrived  
no spuds nor rice here  
10 miles and 3 day to make  
trip cart over side of  
road once, mud galore  
3 inches or so rain  
tonight after dark

Nadarivatu May 1, 1925  
arrived last night &  
raining today all day. Out  
at 8.30 till 4 P. M. & got  
few birds. Heard a paroquet  
or two singing & saw bird  
high in tree. Shot it &  
picked up the longtail  
red chin paroquet. Shot  
3 more birds in same high  
tree before picking one up  
& they proved to be warblers  
& one common paroquet.  
The other small paroquet  
blew down too close to shoot  
when I picked up the  
winged one but flew off  
before I could step back  
a few feet. Thrushes &  
longbills common. Wrens  
frequent; one wood swallow  
swift several. also shrikes  
both pigeons. Kingfishers seen  
35 inches rain March  
15. in April



Sun April 24, 1925-

Out pipeline to intake  
and hear several golden  
doves along river. See small  
flock of Strawberry finches  
feeding along trail & in  
a patch of high thick grass  
get male. Swift common  
several barnyard pigeons seen  
a Chili pigeon flew across  
native village & lit close by  
12 bulbuls seen in 1 flock  
common in flat but  
seldom in forest  
thrushes heard but seldom  
seen lost 2 shot at

April 26 Sunday  
at Martin's house in P.M.  
4 green paroquets lit in  
tree in gulch. flew away  
& returned in 20 minutes  
larger than common, long tail  
16 seen yesterday.

Vatu Levu

April 23, 1925

In P.M. my pipit  
+ sea parrot, paroquets,  
shear couple thrushes + were  
as well as keros.

swifts common and  
bulbuls in flocks along  
river. yg birds somewhat

many only 4 years have  
bulbuls been around

Suva tho introduced

at Sigatoka way some  
years ago. Eat mulberry  
in town + Santana

hawk flying about. over flat  
near mts. yg? Kingfisher  
taken not many robbers,  
whitings common  
+ when seen in flat base  
of mts where tide runs in

